

**THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
ASHEVILLE DIVISION  
CIVIL CASE NO. 1:19-cv-00171-MR**

<b>BRENDA JOHNSON,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Plaintiff,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>vs.</b>	)	<b><u>ORDER OF REMAND</u></b>
	)	
<b>ANDREW SAUL,</b>	)	
<b>Commissioner of Social Security,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Defendant.</b>	)	
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**THIS MATTER** is before the Court on the Defendant’s Motion for Reversal with Remand for Further Administrative Action [Doc. 12].

Sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g) provides, in pertinent part, that “[t]he court shall have power to enter, upon the pleadings and transcript of the record, a judgment affirming, modifying, or reversing the decision of the Commissioner of Social Security, with or without remanding the cause for a rehearing.” The Defendant here has moved for reversal of the decision below and for a remand of this case for further administrative proceedings. For the reasons stated in the Defendant’s motion, the Court finds that remand is appropriate. See Melkonyan v. Sullivan, 501 U.S. 89 (1991).

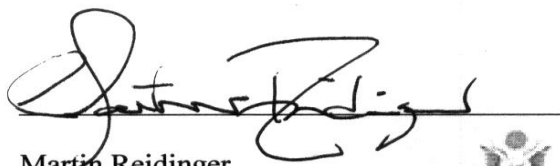
**IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED** that the Defendant's Motion for Reversal with Remand [Doc. 12] is **GRANTED**.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that, pursuant to sentence four of section 205(g) of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. § 405(g), the decision of the Commissioner of Social Security is hereby **REVERSED**, and this case is hereby **REMANDED** for further administrative proceedings, consistent with this Order.

The Clerk of Court shall enter a separate Judgment of Remand simultaneously herewith, thereby closing the case.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Signed: February 28, 2020

  
Martin Reidinger  
United States District Judge

